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Woman's World

Trends in Fashion Designed To Make You Look Prettier

By Ertta Haley

IT IS easy to enumerate certain fashion trends for the season, but women are most interested in what the new clothing does for them, at least in the final analysis. All experts agree that this year's clothing makes women look prettier and more feminine.

This year's dresses have both color and warmth, accented by the deep rich tones that quality wools, jerseys, rayon gabardines and corduroys give. There's interest, too, in plaids, in gray, copper tones, bright reds and dark greens.

If you're a school and college girl, your interest will be in such fashion-wise features as dropped shoulders, shallow capes, frilled cuffs, stoles, and the convertibles which are jumper dresses with jackets that can be changed to fit the occasion.

For all women, here are some of the trends worth noting. The skirt with the slim front and back panel fullness and smooth hip lines are new this season. Among the other skirts which are fashion-worthy, there's the skirt that buttons at the front, back or either side; or, the godet skirt tucked and gored which is full without being voluminous; or the straight-fronted skirt with back fullness.

Necklines are reaching higher in daytime clothes, both in dresses and coats. For evening wear, you may want to choose the ever so flattering portrait neckline, or for a formal dress, something of the strapless variety.

Side-Slanted Hats Are Emphasized

Whether you buy a budget-priced hat or an original creation by one of the top designers, here are salient

Coats are long and full . . .

style trends: an overwhelming emphasis on the side-slanted hat no matter what the contour; major attention to berets, cuffed or otherwise treated pillboxes, bonnet types, with manipulated detail for women's hats.

As for color in hats, you'll find that cloud or off-white shades in felt rate a lot of interest. In the novelty tones you'll find emphasis on such colors as royal, American copper, avocado, gray, flamingo, red, continental green and a sprinkling of taupe, castor, coffee and beige.

You'll be seeing high feathers and veilings as trimmings for many hats. All-over embroideries of beads or sequins are used, particularly on berets.

Generally speaking, hats are small, head-fitting with occasional casual and manipulated brims of medium-size.

Look For These Coat Silhouettes

If you're buying a fur coat this season, it may well be that one of the following silhouettes should be your choice, for they emerge as those which will probably be seen.

First, there is the fitted coat which is full skirted and detailed in velvet, wool, interesting buttons or other dress-maker touches.

The peignoir coat, belted in front and loose in the back, may also be one of the most important fur coat fashions of the season.

The empire style coat, worked high in the waist and in the back is the most significant cout of the season as a direct result of the new, slimmer dress fashions. This coat has narrow, sloping shoulders with fullness controlled rather than flaring out.

The demi-coat is sometimes full and other times slim and narrow, and is destined to be popular because it can be worn for several seasons. It ranges from 32 to 36 inches in length, thus allowing sufficient room for long, slim skirts to show off to full advantage.

The semi-wrap is the fifth silhouette, and is an outgrowth of last year's cocoon coat. This has the curved hemline, and is good on tall dramatic types.

This Season's Gloves Are Lady-Like

Tapered fingers, slender wristlines and smooth-gloved hands predominate on the glove fashion scene. New designs by the American glove manufacturers stress a fitted contour, lady-like detailing

While gowns are romantic.

and slim-fitting glace gloves. The lines are more sleek and fewer strictly tailored gloves are seen.

Victorian influence is present both in the wider use of capeskin (glace) leather and in the delicate cuff decorations with lace, ribbon and beading.

Glace gloves will double for daytime and evening wear, the darker shades being used with suits and street wear while the light pastel colors will be popular for after-dark costumes.

Even the classic pigskin gloves have adopted the trim and slender look, though they are worn primarily with casual and sports clothes.

Smart glove colors for the season are the darker shades of brown and green as well as the new slate and charcoal gray. Other popular autumn accessory colors are black, beige, white, navy and wine.

Slender Toelines Match Hemlines

As dresses go, then so must footwear. The long, slender toelines which you'll be seeing in today's footwear are designed to match the longer hemline, and to lend to footwear the same aristocratic and formal note that pervades the costume picture generally," according to St. Louis shoe stylists.

Earlier in the year it was thought that toelines might be pointed, as they were in the 19th century, but now it appears that more modified versions such as the softly tapered toe will be the fashion.

Heels are as graceful as the toes, thus drawing on the high, curved Louis heel for inspiration. You'll find that heels are thinner and fragile, and it looks as though the ultra-slender french heel will be leading the fashion parade.

Beret-Bonnet

This softly bloused beret-bonnet of cloud white felt designed by Sally-Mar has a rolled brim of forest green velvet, accented by a green quill and a green mesh face veil. This budget-priced hat may be worn well with simple basic dresses.

Be Smart!

It's the break of breaks for the fashion-conscious planner who likes a long-lived wardrobe, the very new vogue for navy in the fall. There was a time when navy was considered as much a part of spring as its accompanying white gloves and frilly organdie jabots. This season, however, it's competing with black and brown for your favor. The best idea for you is to have a soft suit in your favorite material, faille, taffeta or satin, as well as the woolens, for early autumn wear, and then to revive this suit with spring accessories a few months later.

Unusual Layout Eases House Shortage for Married Couple

LIMA, N. Y.—Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nataline solved their housing problem by going underground.

Faced with high construction costs, the Natalines decided to build just the basement of their future home. Today, they are living in an attractive, well designed basement which cost them less than $3,500.

The home consists of a large living room with brick fireplace, bedroom, kitchen, pantry, furnace room, bath and garage. Nataline solved the labor problem by doing most of the work himself.

In five years, the Natalines expect to build the main floor. The basement will be converted into a recreation room, a bar, a laundry and a fruit closet.

Good Samaritans Leave

Monks of the historic St. Bernard hospice on the "snowy roof of Europe" are abandoning most of their work there and will move to Tibet to continue their missions of mercy. Since World War I sent the throngs of Europe toppling, many rich Roman Catholic communities, especially in Germany and Austria, have lost their wealth, and the hospice no longer has sufficient funds to carry on its historic mission.

Soil Needs Plant Food

Roots of young plants must have nutrients within easy reach, says Middle West Soil Improvement committee. In the early stages of growth, these roots are able to creep out only two to three inches in any direction for nutrients, water and air. If the soil is loose, well-structured and high in organic matter, the roots will later have plenty of room to "walk" as far as they need for nutrients to feed the growing crop. That is why it is important to keep the soil well stocked with plant food and to team up that fertilizer with good management methods that build up the soil and hold it on the farm.

Farm Trend in Minnesota

Minnesota is fast becoming a state of owner-operated farms, according to J. B. McNulty, University of Minnesota agricultural economist. Tenancy in Minnesota has slipped to its lowest point since 1910. In 1947, 24 per cent of the state's farms were operated by tenants. Tenancy reached its high point during the early thirties. By 1935 nearly half of the farm land and over one-third of the farms were operated by renters. The real trend away from tenancy began in 1940. Since then the number of tenant-operated farms has dropped 17,391.

Trinity Road

Trinity Road, Oct. 26.- Sorry our news letter was late for last week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Franklin, of Cumberland, Md. were called home last week-end by the death of the former's brother, Mr. Frank Franklin.

Mrs. S. E. Anderson returned home Sunday by airplane from Chilhowie, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. John Smith and Mr. Smith. Mr. John D. Ripley, Jr. is up for her Sunday P.M.

Mr. J. P. Alvis continues ill. His son, Kenneth, of Atlanta, Ga. has been home for several days.

Mrs. B. D. Stratton visited relatives in Alexandria over the week-end.

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Hospital Holds No Terror For Dogs; Comfort Assured

ARDMORE, PA.—Dog days should hold no terror for the pampered pet that is lucky enough to be sent to the veterinary profession's newest gift to the animal kingdom, a hospital here that is completely air conditioned.

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Evergreen

Evergreen, Oct. 26.- Rev. ... and Mrs. Cecil Carter were the dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Paulette.

Jim Conner celebrated his birthday Sunday.

The S. C. A. gave a nice program here at the school Friday night, with a nice attendance. After the program, a P.-T. A. was organized, with twenty members. The P.-T. A. plans to give a Hallowe'en party at the school Friday night.Candy, pies, cake, sandwiches, popcorn, etc. will be on sale, and games of all kinds played. Everyone invited!

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Stanley spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. E. Cheatham.

Miss Bessie Ann Glover celebrated her birthday Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Cralle visited their daughter, Mrs. Dan Clapp Sunday. Mrs. Clapp is a patient in the Richmond hospital. We wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. G. W. Glover spent the week-end in Lynchburg.

J. W. Glover, of Crewe, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples Thursday night. They also called to see Mr. and Mrs. C. G. W. Glover the same night.

The Y. W. A. girls will meet at Miss Carolyn Conner Friday night, beginning at 6:30.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Warriner Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Evans, of Charlotte C. H., Mrs. C. B. Evans and daughter, Mrs. Barter James, and daughter, of Hopewell, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Blackwell and ... mother, Mrs. Green Garrett, spent last Tuesday in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Howard Glover and daughter, Bess spent the night recently with her father, A. B. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam White and children, of Lynchburg spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Staples.

Miss Eulalia Glover spent Thursday night with Miss Anna Harris, of Oakville.

Mrs. Daniel Jennings and two children, of Christiansburg, spent last week with Mrs. Sam Jennings.

Richwood

Richwood, Oct. 26.-Arrangements have been made for special hymnal singing at Wesley Chapel Church at its next regular meeting.

Walter Kirby and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Marsh and daughter, Nancy, of Lynchburg were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Pugh last Thursday.

Mrs. Henry Reed is reported to be quite ill at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Guill and son, DuVall, were shopping in Lynchburg Saturday.

Mrs. Carter Martin was in Farmville Thursday to attend the celebration in connection with the observance of the 150th anniversary since the founding of the city.

A family reunion was held at the home of John J. Moore Sunday.

Murray Arrington, of Richmond was visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arrington Monday and Tuesday.

Harold Marsh, of Gladys, was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dickerson, of Richmond were visiting with Mrs. Dickerson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Arrington over the week-end. On returning to Richmond, Sunday evening, Mrs. Dickerson became suddenly ill, and had to be taken to the Farmville hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cordell and son, James were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cordell and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cordell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Pugh were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Marsh at Rocks Sunday.

Spout Spring

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